GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2446
ANSWERED ON:10.03.2000
REGIONAL NEWS ON DOORDARSHAN RANCHI
RAM TAHAL CHOUDHARY

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is no arrangement for telecasting regional news from Doordarshan, Ranchi;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government propose to telecast news from Doordarshan, Ranchi;

(d) if so, the time by which it is likely to be started; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND MINISTER OF STATE OF TH DEPARTMENT OF DISINVESTMENT
(SHRI ARUN JAITLEY)

(a)to(e): It has been intimated by Prasar Bharati that two regional news bulletins (oneeach in Hindi and Urdu) originating from Doordarshan Kendra, Patna are presently beingrelayed by Doordarshan Kendra, Ranchi.There is no proposal for telecast of news from Doordarshan Kendra, Ranchi due to various constraints by way of infrastructural facilities, manpower etc.